

**Before the  
FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION  
Washington, D.C. 20554**

In the Matter of	)	
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Corr Wireless Communications, LLC	)	CC Docket No. 96-45
	)	
Petition for Designation as an	)	
Eligible Telecommunications Carrier in	)	
Certain Rural Service Areas in the	)	
State of Alabama	)	
	)	

To: William Maher, Chief  
Wireline Competition Bureau

**MOTION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

Corr Wireless Communications, LLC (“Corr Wireless” or “Company”), pursuant to Section 1.46 of the Commission’s Rules, 47 C.F.R. § 1.46, respectfully requests a two-week extension of time to file its Reply to the comments filed in the above-referenced proceeding regarding Corr Wireless’ Petition for Designation as an Eligible Telecommunications Carrier in Certain Rural Service Areas in the State of Alabama (“Rural ETC Petition”). In support thereof, the following is shown:

On July 28, 2003, comments regarding Corr Wireless’ Rural ETC Petition were filed by the Cellular Telecommunications & Internet Association (“CTIA”), the “Alabama Rural Local Exchange Carriers,”<sup>1</sup> and the “Rural Telcos”<sup>2</sup> (collectively, the “Commenters”). The current

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<sup>1</sup> The “Alabama Rural Local Exchange Carriers” include the following carriers: Ardmore Telephone Company; Blountsville Telephone Company, Inc.; Brindlee Mountain Telephone Company, Inc.; Butler Telephone Company, Inc.; Castleberry Telephone Company, Inc.; Graceba Total Communications, Inc.; GTC, Inc.; Gulf Telephone Company; Haynesville Telephone Company, Inc.; Hopper Telecommunications Company, Inc.; Interstate Telephone Company; Millry Telephone Company Inc.; Mon-Cre Telephone Cooperative, Inc.; Moundville Telephone Company, Inc.; National Telephone of Alabama, Inc.; New Hope Telephone Cooperative,

deadline for the filing of Corr Wireless' Reply is August 4, 2003, one week after the July 28, 2003 comment deadline.

Given the complexity of the issues raised by the Commenters, as well as the importance of this proceeding to Corr Wireless, the Company respectfully requests a two-week extension of time to prepare its Reply. Notably, because the Commission's June 5, 2003 Public Notice regarding Corr Wireless' Rural ETC Petition was not published in the Federal Register until July 16, 2003,<sup>3</sup> the Commenters received almost two months time within which to prepare their comments in response to the Petition. As such, a two-week extension of time for Corr Wireless to prepare its Reply to these comments is a reasonable request.

Counsel for CTIA, Counsel for the "Alabama Rural Local Exchange Carriers" and Counsel for the "Rural Telcos" have indicated that their respective clients have no objections to Corr Wireless' extension requested herein. Staff of the Telecommunications Access Policy Division likely to be involved in this matter were also informed of the forthcoming filing of this Motion.

Corr Wireless therefore submits that, given the Commenters' consent to the grant of this Motion, no parties would be harmed by the grant of this Motion and the requested extension until August 18, 2003 of the period for filing Corr Wireless' Reply to the comments filed regarding the Company's Rural ETC Petition.

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Inc.; Oakman Telephone Company; OTELCO Telephone, LLC; Peoples Telephone Company; Ragland Telephone Company; Roanoke Telephone Company, Inc.; Union Springs Telephone Company, Inc.; and Valley Telephone Company.

<sup>2</sup> The "Rural Telcos" include the following carriers: Blountsville Telephone Company; Brindlee Mountain Telephone Company; Hopper Telecommunications, Inc.; and OTELCO Telephone, LLC.

<sup>3</sup> Corr Wireless Communications, LLC Petition for Designation as an Eligible Telecommunications Carrier in Certain Rural Service Areas in the State of Alabama, 68 Fed. Reg. 42,058 (July 16, 2003).

WHEREFORE, it is respectfully requested that the Commission grant a two-week extension of time, until August 18, 2003, for Corr Wireless to file its Reply to the comments filed regarding the Company's Rural ETC Petition filed in above-referenced proceeding.

Respectfully submitted,

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Dated: August 1, 2003

## CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I, Tom Buchanan, hereby certify that on this 1st day of August, 2003, a true and correct copy of the foregoing *Motion for Extension of Time of Corr Wireless Communications, LLC* was served via First Class Mail, U.S. postage prepaid, Federal Express, or E-Mail on the following parties:

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